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GLOVES

FELLOWSHIP NOMINATIONS

Elections for Seven Vacancies Now Taking Place

1915

Nominating Committee to be Appointed—Representatives to be Chosen From Various Provinces and From Outside

Elections for seven vacant fellowships in McGill and for membership of the Nominating Committee for 1915 are now in progress.

Ballots have been distributed among the graduates for three elections. The first is for non-resident representative fellows from districts outside of Quebec. The second is for representative fellows for the Faculties of Law, Applied Science and Medicine. The third is for the election of a Nominating Committee for 1915.

To represent Newfoundland and the Maritime provinces, the following have been nominated, G. F. Dewar, M.D., Rev. J. H. MacVicar, B.A., B.D., W. W. White, B.A., M.D., for the province of Ontario, W. A. Cameron, M.A., Rev. H. J. Keith, M.A., B.D., P. D. Ross, B.A., Sec.; for the western provinces, Rev. W. L. Clay, L. Robertson, M.A., H. M. Tor, M.A., D. Sec. L.D.; for countries outside of Canada and Nfld., A. E. Childs, M.Sc. Boston, M. C. Helme, B.A., New York, R. D. MacArthur, M.D., Chicago.

For representative fellowships, the following have been nominated—in Applied Science, E. G. M. Tait, B.A., Sec., P. F. Sise, B.Sc., in Law, Hon. E. A. E. Greenfield, B.A., B.C.L., Hon. E. W. P. Guerin, B.A., D.C.L., E. B. Howard, B.A., B.C.L.; in Medicine, J. M. Elder, B.A., M.D.; J. D. Morgan, B.A., M.D., A. A. Robertson, B.A., M.D. Those up for the Nominating Committee are H. P. Barnes, D.Sc., F.R.S., H. M. Cockfield, B.A., N. N. Evans, M.A., Sec., L. V. King, B.A., W. J. Messenger, M.A., J. W. Mingie, M.A., B.C.L., P. A. C. Scrimger, B.A., M.D.

DR. HERDT ON THE CONDUIT SYSTEM

In Montreal—McGill Men Are in Charge of the Work

At a well attended meeting of the Electric Club on Thursday evening, Dr. Herdt gave an interesting lecture on the Montreal Underground Electric Conduit system.

In opening his address, Dr. Herdt stated that there are thirty companies having rights by charter to erect poles and wires in the streets of Montreal. The appearance of these is anything but artistic, to say the least, and the risk, especially of high voltage lines, is very considerable.

In June, 1910, a by-law was passed authorizing the appointment of a commission of three engineers, permission being granted the city by the Provincial Legislature. The commission was appointed in 1911. In 1912 its powers were extended by an amendment, which provided for a conduit system built, operated, and maintained by a commission. All overhead systems are to be taken over, and no company shall own or operate its own conduit system.

Work was first begun on St. Catherine street. No adequate survey of the city was obtainable, so it was necessary to make a complete survey of the street. This revealed the fact that it was practically impossible to construct a conduit under the street between the curbs on account of the large number of manholes already in existence. It was, therefore, decided to place the conduit on each side of the street under the sidewalks. A well-illustrated description of the conduits and their construction was then given. Briefly, they consist of from twenty to thirty clay ducts, each measuring 3 1/2 inches square. A number of these are well separated from the others for special lines, as fire alarms, police patrol and street lighting system. Large manholes are placed at the street corners from which the cables are drawn through. They are placed so as to be in line with future extensions on the cross streets, and are also connected to transformer vaults, where high voltage is stepped down for distribution.

Service man-holes are placed at intervals along the street, and from these taps are led off underground to the buildings. With the exception of a few transformer vaults, the work on St. Catherine street has been finished from Atwater to Papineau avenue, and the wires will be placed underground this spring.

The work on Bleury street is also nearing completion from Pine avenue to Craig street, and other parts of the city will be finished this year.

This work is being carried out largely by McGill men. Dr. Herdt is chairman of the commission. The other two engineers are Mr. R. S. Kelsch and Mr. De G. Beaubien, the latter being also a McGill graduate. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Dr. Herdt for his interesting and instructive address.

DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The best field for senior year investments this spring is in a year's subscription to the Daily, carrying not only the full undergraduate news, but the alumni notes started this year. The McGill organ will be sought for among recent graduates. Have it mailed to your home address.

Past copies in stock of this year's Daily may be had at 5 cents each.

This issue of the Daily marks an effort to report the more important late news of the college. It is probable that a second number will be issued on or about April 4. Readers will forgive the defects, inasmuch as it is put together in a time of study stress.

THE "ANNUAL" OUT MONDAY

Publishers Claim it is the Best Yet

FREE COPIES

For a Number of Men Whose Sketches Have Been Accepted

All those who wish to purchase a copy of the long-looked-for "Annual" should be ready, for it will appear on Monday, the 30th.

Last year, as will be remembered, the "Annual" was printed in sepia ink on pebbled paper, while in former years it was in black ink on smooth paper. This year the good points of each have been combined, so that the volume is printed in black ink on pebbled paper. Thus the blotting and uneven distribution so difficult to control with sepia ink has been done away with, while the glare of the glazed pages has been almost entirely reduced. The pebbling gives a soft, rich tone to the photographs and sketches which makes the volume a work of art from the printer's standpoint. But the printers, the Mortimer Company, say that in the seven years they have produced the "Annual" the sketches, etc., have never approached the standard set this year, so that the contents of the volume should keep up with the high quality of the printing.

Annals have been awarded to the following gentlemen who have had three or more sketches accepted. Any person who thinks he is entitled to a free volume for work done, should send in his claim, with reasons, to the business manager, J. H. Robertson, who will give it due consideration. N. I. Chipman, H. G. Henson, D. S. Forbes, E. S. Marotte, A. B. Darbyson, G. D. McLeod, P. Booth, G. D. Thompson, A. Nicholson, J. L. Robertson, J. J. Perreault, A. D. Harvey, A. McGarry, A. W. Heron, W. S. Atkinson.

R.V.C. GRAD IS HONOURED

Miss Brown, '12, Will Spend a Year in Research Work in Spain

Miss Vera Brown, B.A., '12, M.A., '13, has been awarded a travelling fellowship from Bryn Mawr, according to news just received here. She will spend next year in Spain, there to engage in research work in connection with a Ph.D. thesis on Spanish History. This is an addition to many honors which Miss Brown has received at McGill. She graduated with honors in both history and English. While taking post graduate work here, she was the reader in first year history. McGill graduates have been doing exceptionally well in the graduate schools of the United States. Miss Brown holds the Thayer fellowship of \$500 in the History department at Harvard, one of the most coveted of prizes.

DR. BRODIE LECTURES TO MEDICAL STUDENTS

Famous 'Varsity Professor Visited McGill Last Week

Dr. Gregor Brodie, F.R.S., the distinguished professor of Physiology in the Union of Toronto Medical School, gave a series of lectures to the second and third year medicals here last week. Prof. Brodie who is a member of many scientific societies in Europe and America is considered one of the most eminent scientists in the field of physiology. His contributions to the literature of that branch of knowledge have been both prolific and authoritative. His visit to McGill was much appreciated by the Medical students.

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MED. SENIORS ENTERTAINED

Dean Shepherd and Miss Shepherd Hold Reception

DANCE

First of Graduation Functions is Great Success—Future Doctors Gather With Faculty and Governors of the University

Last Friday evening Dean F. J. Shepherd assisted by his daughter, Miss Dorothy Shepherd, held a reception and dance in the new Medical Building in honor of the graduating classes in Medicine and Dentistry.

The function which was the largest and most elaborate held at McGill for years was attended by over 400 guests including the governors of the University, deans of the various faculties and professors and other members of the staff with their wives and daughters, and medical students.

Transformed from the matter of fact council chamber where the fate of many medics has hung in the balance into a veritable flower garden, the faculty room where the reception was held was a scene of unsurpassing brilliance.

Dancing commenced shortly after nine o'clock in the large Assembly Hall which was also profusely decorated with flowers, flags and pennants. The floor was excellent, the music enchanting, the guests congenial, which gave ample reason for "No sleep till morn when youth and pleasure meet."

Supper was served at midnight in the Pathological Museum, which, in appearance, was as far removed from the essential part of a medical school as it approached the likeness of a banquet hall.

The whole affair was a wonderful success and the Meds. of 1914 must appreciate the kindness and thoughtfulness of Dean Shepherd and Miss Shepherd in giving their graduating gaveties such an auspicious initiation.

ARCHITECTS HEAR A MCGILL GRAD

On "Office Management"—First Year of the Association Brought to a Close

The last meeting of the Architectural Association this season that took place on Tuesday, March 24th was a marked success. The lecturer, Mr. H. R. Dowsell, gave an interesting and instructive talk on "Office Management." This somewhat dry and unattractive title was followed by a lecture of infinite and absorbing interest, especially to those fourth year men about to make their debut into a world of keen business competition where system and art must be combined if a successful career is to be ensured. Mr. Dowsell is the first McGill graduate from the Architectural course to address the association, and it is the hope of all that he will be by no means the last.

Ten years ago, Mr. Dowsell asserted, he had been one of the six members comprising all the four years in architecture and he was agreeably surprised to find that the total attendance is now sixty. Mr. Dowsell has for some years held responsible positions in the largest architects' offices both in New York and in this city. Thus it was with no mean knowledge of the manner in which the business side of architecture is conducted that he spoke.

The lecturer pointed out the progress in the last four years in the commercial side of architecture. Men do not go in for architecture now purely for a love for art, but for what they can make out of it, and to make anything out of it, system is necessary.

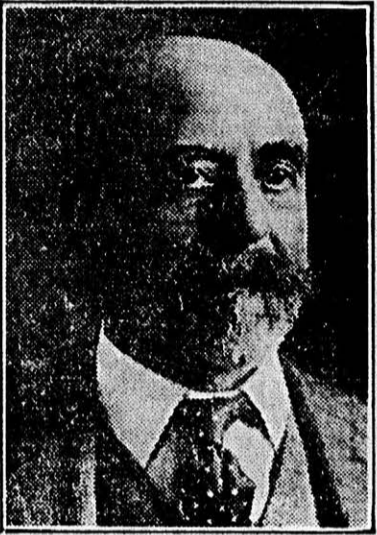
Unity must be encouraged in an office and the whole put under a system of management similar to that in any large commercial venture of today. Each department should have its head and sub-head and individually all should be made responsible to their immediate superiors, up to the senior partner of the firm. All the work should pass through his hands and as perfect a filing system as possible should be installed to prevent disorder. A system of receipt cards should be founded to keep tab on the contractor, and all interviews tabulated to protect the client, and the architect himself. Mr. Dowsell went into the particulars as to the method to be employed in accomplishing this end. The lecturer also gave a concise description of the progress of a commission from the time the client interviewed one of the firm of a large concern until the building was completed by the contractor.

Professor Ludlow then adjourned the meeting after the business of the association had been transacted, and the members were served with refreshments that pleasantly terminated a pleasant evening and the first and very successful season of the Architectural Association.

VOTE FOR ST. GEORGE

FOR

CONTROLLER



Mr. St. George is the best candidate for Controller. His engineering standing is of the highest. He is a prominent member of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers and of the Institution of Civil Engineers of Great Britain. He knows the city and the conditions at the City Hall as few living men do. He is eminently well qualified for this important office. He stands for clean, broadminded, fair administration. He should have your vote. Tell everybody about him. He has already served the city well in one important official position and is ready to do so again if elected Controller.

Mr. St. George's programme is as follows:

At the request and with the endorsement of leading citizens of all creeds, races and classes, I have accepted nomination for a seat on the Board of Control.

If elected, I shall devote my whole time and energy to the solution of the important problems that must be solved if Montreal is to become a city worthy of its present population and the enormous increase the future has in store provided its affairs are honestly and intelligently administered.

There are six problems of major importance. First, the water supply, which is far and away the most vital. At all hazards we must have a reliable supply of good water, without dependence on a conduit of questionable construction. Second, the drainage of the city, on which depends the health of its inhabitants, is vital. If "tubes" are to be constructed under the surface the whole drainage system may become deranged, with infinite danger to the public health. Third, the scavenging of the city should be done with cleanliness, system, regularity and thoroughness. For seven months of the year proper scavenging is a question of the highest importance. Fourth, a plan of the city, over and underground, should be immediately prepared, so that all pipe laying and other construction may be done intelligently, just as an architect builds on careful plans drawn to measurement. Fifth, the streets of Montreal are a reproach to the city, and their condition, demands the consideration of a comprehensive scheme of improvement to which the Board of Control should give immediate attention. Sixth, the tramway question should be dealt with as if we were providing for a million people. There should be no over-crowding, which means that the Company must be forced to provide sufficient cars. Low fares, especially for the working men and women, must be a feature of any new arrangement and double fares must be abolished. I shall insist that no new franchise be given to the present Company or any other company until it proves that it is prepared to give the best service at the lowest cost to the city consistent with a fair return on the money invested, and will deem it imperative that the company should be put under bonds to carry out in good faith any arrangement arrived at.

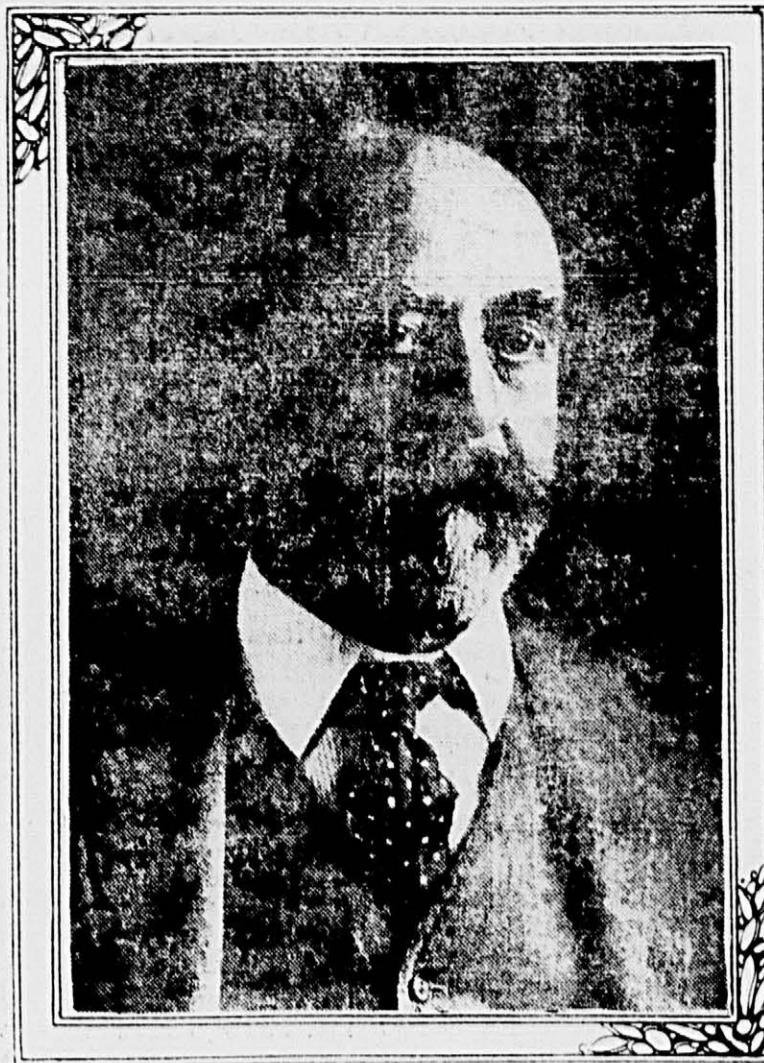
We can have a beautiful city, a clean city, a healthy city, and intelligent civic administration as regards transportation, lighting, street paving, water supply, drainage, scavenging, can make it such a city. I am prepared to work to the very utmost of my ability to bring about the desired result if I am elected.

I shall not conduct a personal canvass or make platform speeches. If I am elected, let me say simply that I will give up all private practice and devote my whole time and energies to the business of the city. Only in that way can the present small Board of Control hope to accomplish all the vast amount of work which will be imposed upon it. I shall have no other iron in the fire—no masters to serve—save the citizens of Montreal. I am elected I will do my duty, but if at the close of the poll it be found the citizens have not agreed with the estimate which those who kindly asked me to run have put upon my services, then I shall resign my duty by making them the offer, and I shall continue in my city with great content. In the meantime I beg to thank my vast number—am promising their votes.

(Signed), PERCIVAL

McGill Daily

PERCIVAL W. ST. GEORGE



Who has Accepted Nomination for the Board of Control at the Request of Many Influential Citizens

FRENCH CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Societe Francaise and the Cercle in Joint Gathering at the Union

The annual meeting of the French Club, Tuesday, took the form of a joint gathering with the Societe Francaise. It was quite the most enjoyable yet, and its success bids fair to make it an annual event.

After the election of officers of the Cercle Francaise, the two clubs dined in the Grill Room of the Union.

The following officers were elected for next year: President, H. E. Scott; Vice-president, M. Laviolette; Secretary, L. H. Ballantyne; Treasurer, M. Danton.

The guests of the evening were Mons. et Mme. Monpetit and Mlle. Guerin. The address was delivered by Mons. Monpetit, who spoke on the need for the French language.

CANADA'S FISHERIES BIG NATIONAL ASSET

Canada has the most extensive fisheries in the world, for there are 12,750 miles of seacoast and innumerable lakes and streams.

The principal fish caught are salmon, lobsters, cod, herring, mackerel, trout, halibut and haddock.

The fish and fish products taken by Canadian fishermen during the year 1911-12 realized \$21,667,872, which constituted a record and an advance of \$1,702,429 on the previous year.

This result was obtained by 65,926 fishermen, who manned 1,618 vessels and 26,721 boats. In the canneries, etc., 25,296 persons were employed. The catch of salmon was 1,126,732 cwt., lobsters 289,141 cwt., and 2,997,269 cwt., and herring 2,251,228 cwt.

ROUND ABOUT THE COLLEGE TO WHICH EVERYBODY IS A REPORTER

Several excellent papers were read Thursday afternoon and evening at the annual meeting of the Quebec Society for the Protection of Plants, which was held at Macdonald College, being presided over by the President, W. Lockhead. Besides the President, the speakers included Francis E. Lloyd, Professor of botany at McGill University; J. P. Chappais, of the Dominion Government's dairy department; Brother Victorin, of Longueuil College; J. W. Evesham, Arthur Gibson, J. A. Beaulieu, W. P. Fraser, F. W. Lutz, assistant entomologists at Ottawa; P. J. Bryce, E. M. D'Amore and J. Vandellieck, of Macdonald. The meeting was well attended and considered highly successful. Papers read at the gathering will be published in pamphlet form by the Quebec Government.

The Department of Physical Education of McGill is holding a demonstration this evening under the direction of Miss Cartwright, in the Assembly Hall of the Royal Victoria College. Undergraduates, graduates, and the members of the Teachers' Training Course are taking part. Admission by invitation only.

The annual meeting of McGill Maritime Club, for election of officers and other business, will be held at Strathcona Hall, Room B, on Tuesday evening, March 21, at 7:30 p.m. sharp. A large attendance is asked for.

Mackay was elected honorary president of the Swimming Club at the annual meeting held in Strathcona Hall last Thursday afternoon. Pengelly is the president, George Hodgson, vice-president, K. Roseburgh, secretary, J. Walters, treasurer; R. H. Patterson, manager. Executive committee, G. L. Trapp, Science; Lighthall, Arts; Smith, Medicine.

Mr. Lamb, on March 25, delivered a very interesting lecture on artistic photography before the Mining Society. This was followed on the 26th by a review lecture by Dr. McRae. On Friday the examinations to First Aid to the injured were held and everybody brought their bandages.

Lost on Sherbrooke St. or in the McGill grounds, a pair of spectacles. Finder please return the same to the janitor of the Arts Building.

Taken from the Redpath Library a spring overcoat. Finder please return to the janitor of the Arts Building.

The officers for Societe Francaise for next year are: President—Miss Mary Childs. Vice-president—Miss M. Corner. Secretary—Miss Sproule. 4th Year representative—Miss Thompson.

The following McGill men have passed tests held before the Board of Examiners for Dominion Land Surveyors, all in preliminary tests: E. M. DesBrisay, W. L. Frame, J. P. Fullerton, K. Keeping, C. J. Lindsay, M. D. McFarlane, H. B. Felleiter.

At the last parade of the season of the C.O.T.C., on Wednesday, Captain Helmer was presented with a sword by the other members of the corps. Sergt. Inspr. J. Stephenson also received a presentation.

REV. R. W. NORWOOD AT TRINITY CHURCH.

The Rev. R. W. Norwood, rector of Bishop Cronyn Memorial Church, London, Ontario, formerly associated with Canon Almond at Trinity Church, arrived in the city this morning. He will preach a special series of sermons in Trinity Church, beginning Sunday morning, and ending Thursday night.

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DELTA SIGMA SOC. HAD GOOD YEAR

Officers Elected—Presentation to the Retiring President

The Delta Sigma Society brought a very successful year to a close on Wednesday, March 18th. After a report of the work of the session from the secretary, Miss Cameron gave a short address, which was followed by the election of officers for the next year. The results of the elections were: President, Miss Waterman; vice-president, Miss Patterson-Smith; secretary, Miss Nowham; 4th year representative, Miss M. Harvey.

The secretary then in the name of the Delta Sigma Society presented the retiring president, Miss Willis, with a McGill pin. And after a short speech, chiefly words of counsel for next year's officers, from Miss Willis, the meeting adjourned.

FOUR MEN TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL WITHIN AN HOUR

In one hour yesterday afternoon four men were taken to hospitals from different parts of the city as the results of accidents. E. Dionne, 27 years of age, of 20 Bonsecours street, is at the Notre Dame Hospital in a very critical condition as the result of injuries sustained while at work for the Ogdenburg Coal and Towing company, when he fell from a coal chute.

A. McRae, 20 years of age, an employee of the East End Abattoir, fell into a vat of boiling water. He was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital. Z. Zerosztrak, 40 years of age, was struck by an eastbound car on Mount Royal avenue, when he slipped on the track. He was taken to the Royal Victoria suffering from a badly fractured leg.

R. E. Dupre, 22 years of age, was also struck by a street car at the same place, while trying to dodge one car, he did not notice the one coming in the opposite direction. He was picked up in a dazed condition and taken in a cab to his home.

SPECIAL TAX ON GARMENT WORKERS, AUGURY OF STRIKE

While no definite decision has been arrived at yet by the executive committee of the International Ladies' Garment Workers as to whether or not a strike shall take place among the Montreal workers, the advice of the committee to the local officials is to prepare for eventualities by putting a special tax on their members, and to make representations to the manufacturers with a view to trying to get the present conditions improved.

The grievances of the Montreal workers are said to be so keenly felt, by them that it will be difficult for the local leaders to keep the men and women at work in all the shops until June, when the national convention will be held in Cleveland.

Several of the executive committee are said to be in favor of referring the question of calling a strike until then, as the discussions and negotiations now being carried on between the executive and the manufacturers, may lead to more satisfactory conditions before that time.

MR. J. P. L. BERUBE HAS THE CITIZENS' COMMITTEE HELP

The Citizens' Committee of the Laurier Ward have issued an appeal to their 10,000 electors, of whom one-third are English-speaking.

It is signed by Messrs. R. Miller, P. MacGregor, Wilson, Lusselle, E. Lett, Young, Latimer, Blachford, Buchanan, and Dr. J. A. Berwick.

The present period is a critical one, says the appeal, in the history of the city of Montreal and a change is necessary in the civic representation of the Laurier Ward.

The candidate of the Citizens' Committee, Mr. J. P. L. Berube, when alderman of the town of St. Louis, carried on, continued the appeal, a fight against everything that was detrimental to the best interests of the town, doing Herculean work single-handed, and identifying himself with every movement for the social and moral uplift of the community. His perfect command of the English language has made him a persona grata with every one with whom he has come in contact.

Mr. Berube recognizing the value of the Y.M.C.A. work, was one of the founders ten years ago of the branch at the corner of Park Avenue and St. Valere street, and has remained an annual member since then.

Speaking to Mr. Berube today a Herald and Telegram reporter was told by him that he was greatly encouraged by the vote of the Good Citizenship Committee of the Methodist Church not to alter their original decision to support his candidature in the Laurier Ward.

TO COLLECT STRATHCONA'S C. P. R. DIRECTOR FEES

A formal claim has been filed by the executors of the late Lord Strathcona for a sum of nearly \$50,000, the amount of the fees due him as a director of the Canadian Pacific Railway from 1881 to the time of his death.

During his life-time Lord Strathcona refused to cash any of the checks issued to him for his services. The checks were returned, however, and the executors have now found them. Among the late Lord's executors, the late Lord's executors have notified the railway company of their claim due to the late Lord.

COURT DISMISSES SUIT FOR SALARY AND COMMISSION

The suit at the instance of R. W. Truax against Geo. Macrell for \$13,800 salary and commission has been dismissed by Mr. Justice St. Pierre. Truax claimed that he had been engaged by Macrell to sell \$700,000 of stock at a commission of 2 per cent. He was to be paid a salary of \$20 a week from January 29, 1912. On February 15 he was dismissed, the only reason given being that it was impossible at the time to sell the stock. He was paid a week's salary in lieu of notice. For Macrell it was denied that there had been an agreement for Truax to sell \$700,000 of stock.

The court dismissed the case on the ground that Truax had been engaged by the week, had received a week's notice, and that therefore Macrell was owing him nothing.

SCOTNEY CONCERT NEXT WEEK WILL BE SOCIETY EVENT

The Scotney concert in Windsor Hall on Thursday night, April 2, will be the first the young prima donna has given in Canada. Mme. Scotney has been meeting with fresh successes this season as prima donna soprano at the Boston Opera and her return to Montreal is an event which music loving Canadians will welcome.

The distinguished patronage under which Scotney is singing promises to make the event something of a society affair. Her husband, Howard White, also appears on the programme as basso cantante, and the accompanist is Charles Strony, French conductor with the Boston Opera. The programme, which includes a generous number of Scots ballads, besides operatic, English and French songs, is a varied one. The list of selections follows.

RESENT MISHAPS TO U. S. BOND ISSUES

The London Economist, under issue of March 14, commenting under the head of "The Position in Paris," says: "We learn on good authority from Paris that the bankers there profess great resentment in public against American financiers apropos of some mishaps which have happened lately to bond issues of the second class."

But the real object of the press campaign against American securities is to distract the attention of French investors from the much greater misfortune into which they have been landed by still worse defaults in Mexico and Brazil.

Indeed, the troubles in Mexico and Brazil are giving more anxiety to high finance in Paris than the Balkan obligations.

EFFECT OF SAFETY FIRST ON G. T. R.

That the Safety Committees of the Grand Trunk Railway are doing most effect work in the prevention of personal injuries is clearly shown by a statement just issued by Mr. George Bradshaw, Safety Engineer of that system. From September, 1912, to February, 1914, inclusive, there was a decrease of forty-six per cent. in the number of employees killed and a decrease of sixteen per cent. in the number injured, including all classes of injury, serious or trivial, as compared with the corresponding months of 1912 and 1913. The Safety Movement was put into effect on the Grand Trunk in August, 1912.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MR. JOSEPH LESSARD

With startling suddenness death came to Mr. Joseph Lessard, building inspector for the Province of Quebec and formerly member of the Provincial Legislature for Maskinonge, at his residence, 485 St. Denis street last night. He collapsed suddenly and expired almost immediately.

Mr. Lessard was born 66 years ago in Maskinonge. In the '80's he was in the newspaper business in this city as manager of Le Monde, which was the organ of Sir Hector Langevin. He announced bitterly the execution of Louis Riel. In the second election under Premier Mercier's administration he carried Maskinonge for the party.

DRIVEN INTO STREETS.

Sheds at the rear of 141 Suzanne street were destroyed by fire last night and residents from the vicinity were driven into the streets at three o'clock. It was feared that the flames would spread. District Chief Hooper and men from stations 18 and 21 managed to cope with the blaze with the use of three streams.

SUNDAY SCHOOL'S SOCIAL EVENTS.

The last of three social events held in connection with the Sunday School of St. Matthew's Church, Point St. Charles, took place last night. The beginning of the evening was given over to a tea, after which a musical programme of thirty-five numbers was presented.

NEW COMPANIES INCORPORATED.

Ottawa, March 28.—Notice appeared in the Canada Gazette of the incorporation of the Pure Food Company, Limited, of Montreal, with a capitalization of \$500,000. Letters patent have been granted to the General Fertilizer Corporation, Limited, with a capital stock of \$20,000, the chief place of business being at Sorel.

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Students of McGill RALLY AT THE MASS MEETING Monday Night at 8 O'clock



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Numerous and Distinguished Speakers Will Address the Meeting

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Mr. Stephens' Telephone Number Main 2534

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INDIVIDUAL CUPS FOR RIFLE TEAM

As a fitting climax to the successful operations of the rifle club for the year comes the announcement that Dr. Birkett has notified the executive that he will present individual facsimile cups to the members of the 1914 team which is annually offered for competition.

The cups are now being made and will be presented to the members of the team at the annual meeting which is to be held shortly. The personnel of the team was K. H. Reede, H. H. Hemming, J. F. Harkom, J. T. Bone, H. H. Messervy and J. Robertson. It is in no small degree due to the interest which Dr. Birkett continues to bestow on the rifle club that that body has from year to year been gaining the support of many students. His latest gift is in pursuance of a liberal policy and raises greatly the value of success.

MISS LEES DOING NICELY

Friends of Miss Mary Lees who has been suffering from a severe attack of appendicitis, will be glad to learn that she is very much better. The result of the operation which she was forced to undergo was most satisfactory. She will likely be able to leave the Royal Victoria Hospital in the course of a few days.

ATHLETIC PRESIDENTS.

The presidents of all the societies affiliated to the Athletic Association are requested to send their names of officers immediately to Mr. Herschorn, secretary of the Athletic Association.

SOCIETY OFFICERS.

The secretaries of all societies which have held their annual meetings, are requested to send in the names of their executives and notice of any change in their write-up in the McGill Handbook, to Mr. George Dewey at the Hall, as soon as possible.

PROSPECTS OF A BASEBALL NINE

Prominent Undergraduates Behind Movement to Form a Team

After all there seems a likelihood that a McGill baseball nine will make itself felt this spring in city diamonds. Possibilities have arisen of games with Loyola College, St. Laurent College, Ottawa College, University of New Hampshire and of Vermont and a number of other prominent Universities in the northern States. Prominent McGill men have got behind the movement and seem likely to push it to success. It will have the support of Joe Donnelly, who had an offer from the International League, of Don Brophy, the crack third baseman of the Ottawa Collegiate, of O'Neill, former Columbia player and Bud Argue, a Canadian player.

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WESTERN CLUB SEASON A SUCCESS

Informal Dance Will Likely Become an Annual Event

The most successful season of the McGill Western Club's history was brought to a close Wednesday evening by the annual meeting in Strathcona Hall. Opinions expressed at the meeting was that the informal dance inaugurated by this year's executive was so successful as to deserve annual repetition. It is probable that the Western Club dance will hereafter take place before Christmas.

Dr. Todd was re-elected hon. president, and much praise was accorded him for the help he has given the club. McKeehan will be the new president, Baldwin the vice-president, Affleck, secretary, and H. A. DesBrisay, assistant secretary. Representatives to the executive from the four provinces are Allan (Alta.), Gordon (Man.), Robinson (Sask.).

MEDICAL SOCIETY TO MEET FRIDAY

The Members Will be Guests of Dr. Birkett, the Hon. President

The next meeting of the Medical Society will take place on Friday, April 3. The host on the occasion will be Dr. Birkett hon. president of the society who has engaged several musical artists.

There will be the usual "spread" of the closing meeting also provided by the popular honorary president.

Election of officers will take place at this meeting. For the presidency two members of the fourth year have been nominated, Messrs. Charles Arnett and John Knoll.

This will be the last meeting of the society this season.

MACCABAEAN CIRCLE HEAR GOOD REPORT

Officers for the Coming Session Were Chosen at Annual Meeting

The election of officers of the Maccabean Circle for 1914-15 took place at the annual meeting of the circle, held on the 22nd inst. The following were elected:

President, H. Goldblatt, B.A., Med. 16, (acclamation). Vice-president, M. Garber, Arts '14. Treasurer, B. L. Silver, B.A., Science '16, (acclamation).

Secretary, Adolph Gardner, Arts '16, (acclamation).

Ass't Secretary, Elie M. Friedman, Arts '17, (acclamation).

Committee, Max Bernfield, Arts '14; Horace R. Cohen, Arts '15; and Chas. A. Goldstein, Arts '16. The President, Secretary and Treasurer for the past season read their reports before the circle, all of which reflected most favorably the very good work being done by the circle. A vote of thanks was then tendered the outgoing Executive.

PHILOSOPHICAL SOC. WINDS UP SEASON

Papers Were Read by Messrs. Ludington and Burgess

The last general meeting of the Philosophical Society for this session was held on Wednesday night, when the members were very hospitably entertained by Dr. Hickson. There was a good attendance, and a very successful meeting was held. Two papers were presented, one by Mr. Ludington, who spoke on "Nietzsche and Ethics," the other by Mr. Burgess, M.A., who spoke on "The Value of the Supernatural as an Ethical Sanction." The first speaker gave a short historical sketch, in which he pointed out the character of Nietzsche and some of the influences which had tended to produce this. It was stated that he should not be judged merely from the standpoint of his philosophy, but that his personality should be considered even in connection with the very centre of his system. His philosophy is individualistic, and he has no doctrine to impose on the many. His dictum is that man must know himself; must create his own morals. His appeal is to the entire man, as well as to reason. A case was made for the justification of his criticism of Christian ethics and procedure by reason of its results.

Mr. Burgess' paper formed a fitting supplement to the former. His effort was to show such value as appertained to the supernatural in a scheme of ethics. He made appeal through James and others to the Pragmatic phase of the question. It was shown that such difficulties often arise through a failure to distinguish clearly between ethical, metaphysical, and ontological hypotheses. Pragmatism is popular because it poses as the practical man's friend. We must deal with such beliefs as are possible to the pragmatist to-day; those are found to be more attenuated than of old. The assertion that the motive of love is more potent than that of fear was considered to be based on false psychology. Emphasis was drawn to the value of direct ethical instruction and action in contradistinction to that attaching to belief and the supernatural. Scientific instruction in immediate consequences was shown to be equal in point to the idea of remote ends, and in many cases more so. It is probable, and indeed quite probable, that better results would ensue from an early application of proper principles of education. The possibility that the new point of view might be a result of long education should in no wise deter one from seeking it. It is not denied that the notion of the supernatural has some value, though it is certain that that value is less than is usually thought. There is danger in the "better trust" than "try" attitude, and indeterminism is detrimental. In claiming to remove the responsibility of the individual. Where we have indeterminism preached we have determinism acted. Action and practice precede theory, and it is better and more profitable to keep, if possible, in harmony with the natural, which we do see and know something than with the supernatural, which we in no wise know. Deal with first things first.

H. P. H.

C. O. T. C. MUSKETRY NOTICE.

Those who have passed their musketry but have not received badges, can claim them from the janitor of the Army.

All who think they will be in town this summer and would like to shoot in the D. R. A. meet are requested to leave their names and addresses with me at Strathcona Hall.

H. J. HEMMING.

THE UNION HOUSE COMM. ELECTIONS

Six Men in by Acclamation—Elections on Tuesday

Six members of the House Committee of the Union have been elected by acclamation. Nominations closed last Thursday, leaving competition in Science and Arts. Those already chosen for the committee are:—Billiards: Frank Badgley, Sc. rep.; George Willis: Law rep.; Billy Nicholson: Medicine: Cyril Church and Wop Stuart. Willis is elected because the constitution demands election of one third-year man in each faculty. One of the arts reps must also be a second year man (Junior next year).

Following are the nominees in Arts and remaining ones in Science: Paul Hutchison, Hilary Robertson, C. Tidmarsh, and C. R. McKenzie, in Science, "Pete" Schellens and G. V. Douglas. Elections take place Tuesday, March 31.

C.O.T.C.

All uniforms, rifles and equipment belonging to the corps must be delivered to the Armory not later than Saturday, April 5th, 1914. Members of the corps will please remember that all equipment must be returned or a charge for missing articles will be made. The C. O. C. is responsible to the Government for all equipment and must make good all losses.

Camp: If a sufficient number of members apply the regiment will go into barracks for four days, April 23 to May 2 inclusive. The camp will be held in Montreal and the training will take place on the Mount at the Rifle Ranges, and surrounding country.

All interested will hand in their names immediately to Col-Sgt. Mifflin, Sc. or Col-Sgt. Morrison, Arts.

CHAS. M. MCKEERSON, C. O. C. McGill C. O. T. C.

H. O'LEARY CHOSEN PRES. OF THE UNION

Wollatt Gets Vice-Presidency by a Small Majority

The result of the election of officers for the McGill Union resulted in victories for Harry O'Leary and Herb Wollatt for the presidency and vice-presidency respectively, while Murray Robertson was elected secretary by acclamation. There was not a very large number of ballots cast, evidently owing to the fact that the voting took place only in the Union, and not in the different buildings, as generally is the case. O'Leary had a plurality of 59 over his opponent, Sherlock. The vice-presidency was more closely contested, Wollatt receiving a majority of only eighteen votes over Gullison.

NEW ASSISTANT ENGINEER.

The Law Undergraduate Society of McGill University have elected the following officers for next season: President, Mr. W. H. Howard; vice-president, Mr. J. N. Beauchamp; treasurer, Mr. A. A. Wanklyn. Mr. Beauchamp is an O.T.C. student, the other two being sons of Montreal citizens.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. PUBLICATIONS

The Geological Survey has published maps and reports dealing with a large part of Canada, with many local areas and special subjects.

A catalogue of publications will be sent free to any applicant.

Most of the older reports are out of print, but they may usually be found in public libraries, libraries of the Canadian Mining Institute, etc.

REPORTS RECENTLY ISSUED:

- 1046. CANADA. Descriptive Sketch of the Geology and Economic Minerals of Canada. Accompanied by a geological and mineral map of Canada, by G. A. Young and R. W. Brock.
- 1166. NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA. Bathurst District, New Brunswick, by G. A. Young. Maps not yet published.
- 1166. QUEBEC. Reconnaissance along the National Transcontinental Railway in Southern Quebec, by John A. Dresser.
- 1160. ONTARIO. Larder Lake District, Ont., and Adjoining Portions of Pontiac County, Quebec, by Morley B. Wilson.
- 1242. NORTH WEST PROVINCES. Geology of Gowganda Mining Division, by W. H. Collins.
- 1204. Preliminary Report on the Clay and Shale Deposits of the Western Provinces, by Heinrich Ries and Joseph Koele.
- 1220. Oil and gas prospects of the Northwest Provinces of Canada, by Wyatt Malcolm. Map not yet published.
- BRITISH COLUMBIA. The Geology and Ore Deposits of Phoenix, Boundary District, B.C., by O. E. Lefroy.
- 1218. YUKON AND NORTH WEST TERRITORIES. Wheaton District, Yukon Territory, by D. D. Cairnes. Maps not yet published.

MAPS RECENTLY ISSUED:

- 1042. CANADA. Mineral Map of Canada. Scale 100 miles to 1 inch.
- 1277. Map 50A. Geological map of the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland. Scale 100 miles to 1 inch.
- NOVA SCOTIA. Map 12A. Kingsport sheet, Nova Scotia, No. 54. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
- 1208. Map 53A. Southeast Nova Scotia. Scale 4 miles to 1 inch.
- NEW BRUNSWICK. Map 35A. Reconnaissance Map of Parts of Albert and Westmoreland Counties, N.B. Geology and topography. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
- 1178. QUEBEC. Larder Lake and Opasatika Lake Nipissing, Abitibi and Pontiac, Ontario and Quebec. Geological. Scale 2 miles to 1 inch.
- ONTARIO. Map No. 7A. Bighorn Coal Area, Alberta, by G. Malloch. Scale 2 miles to 1 inch.
- BRITISH COLUMBIA. Map 14A-90A. Geology of the Forty-ninth Parallel, Geology and topography of the International Boundary between British Columbia and the United States. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch, contour interval 100 feet.
- 1287. Map 62A. Nelson and vicinity, British Columbia. Geology and topography. Scale 1 mile to 1 inch.
- YUKON AND NORTH WEST TERRITORIES. Map 2A. Explored Routes on parts of the Albany, Severn and Winick Rivers. Scale 5 miles to 1 inch.

NOTE: Maps published within the last two years may be had, printed on linen, for field use. A charge of ten cents is made for maps on linen.

Communications should be addressed to THE DIRECTOR, GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, OTTAWA.



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STUDENTS' COUNCIL STATEMENT

ESTIMATE TO JUNE 30, 1914.	Excess Receipts.	Excess Disbursements.
Alma Mater Dance	\$ 80.00	
Auditors' Fees		150.00
Athletic Association		46.40
Annual 1914		242.41
Basketball		238.95
Boxing, Wrestling and Fencing		205.06
Campus Bunk	29.67	
Canadian Club	106.00	
Daily 1912-13		20.35
Daily 1913-14		127.79
Damage a. c.	1,116.10	
English Rugby	8.06	
Hockey	61.75	
Harrier		409.06
Literary & Debating		30.42
Orchestra		114.00
Office		34.69
Office		2,200.75
Rugby		32.60
Supply Room	3,128.09	
Swimming	122.15	
Track	1.60	
Tennis		190.95
Theatre Night		15.00
Care of Campus	279.55	
Universal Fee, Athletics		800.00
Universal Fee, Council	4,551.00	
Universal Fee, Council	1,920.00	
Estimated Surplus	\$11,358.97	\$4,844.46
		6,514.51
	\$11,358.97	\$11,358.97

VERMONT UNIV. WILL SEND TENNIS TEAM TO MCGILL

Home and Home Games—A Tournament Will be Held Convocation Week

A challenge has been received by the Tennis Club from the University of Vermont for home and home matches and has been accepted. This is the first season in which the McGill tennis men have entered into an international competition, and shows the development which the winning of the Intercollegiate championship marked last fall.

The first game with the Vermont team will be played here, May 30th, while the return event will be staged at Burlington on June 7th.

A tennis tournament to select teams for the league matches and the Vermont game will be started as soon as weather permits. Notice will be posted at the shack.

The graduating classes in Arts, Science and Law will hold a tourney, May 6, 7 and 8. R. V. C. will also participate. Singles, doubles and mixed doubles will be played.

A very successful year was attested

to at the annual meeting of the Tennis Club at Strathcona Hall on the nineteenth. In the absence of the president, the vice-president occupied the chair. The secretary's statement showed a credit balance for the year's activities of \$91.85.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following men: A. L. S. Mills, hon. president; H. Ross Cleveland, president; Eberts, vice-president; W. Harold Taylor, secretary. The executive committee was chosen as follows: The officers, and Quinn (Arts), Grier (Science), George Laing (Medicine), Wanklyn (Law), outsiders (Laiole).

The fee for outsiders was raised from \$5 to \$7.

The club has again decided to enter the province of Quebec league. On account of last year's showing a good field is expected, including Laing, Mills, Cleveland, Hodgson.

The lists are being held open for new members of the club.

WICKSTEED TROPHY WON BY WILKS IN CLOSE CONTEST

Cushing Wins Harvey Cup—Keen Competition—Many Participants

Winning by just half a point over A. B. Scott, Sc. '14, F. H. Wilkes, Sc. '14 came off with the Wicksteed trophy in the final big athletic event of the year. The Harvey trophy for first year competition went to Eric Cushing, Sc. '17, with F. H. Andrews only two points behind. A record number of students entered. Competition was keen throughout.

At Convocation this term, the fourth year winners will receive silver medals and second and third year winners bronze medals. The competitors will also receive a small M. F. G. Pedley won the second and third year competition with E. M. Desbrisay within a point of his total.

Fourth Year Competition.
F. H. Wilkes, Sc. '14—Drills, 85.3; dance, 83.3; fence vault, 58; horse, 41; lower horizontal bar, 38.5; parallel bar, 80; total, 386.1; percentage, 85.3.
A. G. Scott, Sc. '14—Drills, 84; dance, 83.6; fence vault, 45; horse, 43; lower horizontal bar, 42; parallel bar, 88; total, 385.6; percentage, 85.6.

Second and Third Year.
F. G. Pedley, Med. '17—Drills, 82; dance, 81.6; fence vault, 50.6; horse, 39; lower horizontal bar, 39; parallel bar, 82; total, 373.2; percentage, 82.9.
S. M. Des Brisay, Sc. '16—Drills, 84.4; dance, 85; fence vault, 42; horse, 39; lower horizontal bar, 38; parallel bar, 80; total, 368.4; percentage, 81.2.
E. M. Bushy, Med. '17—Drills, 83.3; dance, 87.3; fence vault, 55.6; horse, 37.5; lower horizontal bar, 41.5; parallel bar, 79; total, 364.2; percentage, 80.9.
F. R. Nugent, Med. '17—Drills, 81; dance, 86.6; fence vault, 25.3; horse, 39; lower horizontal bar, 31; parallel bar, 79; total, 331.9; percentage, 75.9.
H. A. Des Brisay, Med. '17—Drills, 79.6; dance, 81.3; fence vault, 23.8; horse, 37; lower horizontal bar, 35; parallel bar, 73; total, 329.7; percentage, 73.2.

First Year.
Eric Cushing, Sc. '17—Drills, 83; dance, 86; fence vault, 64.6; horse, 79; lower horizontal bar, 40; parallel bar, 82; total, 394.6; percentage, 87.6.
F. H. Andrews, Sc. '16—Drills, 87.3; dance, 85; fence vault, 49.5; horse, 40.5; lower horizontal bar, 37.5; parallel bar, 80; total, 379.8; percentage, 84.4.
H. Wagner, Arts, '17—Drills, 84.3; dance, 83.3; fence vault, 66.8; horse, 34.5; lower horizontal bar, 40.5; parallel bar, 80.5; total, 369.9; percentage, 82.1.

FINAL MEETING OF ORIENTAL, APRIL 7

The President Will Speak on the "Primitive Social Theory of the Hebrews."

The President, Professor C. A. Brodie Brockwell, will address the final meeting of the Oriental Society on Tuesday evening April 7th, on the "Primitive Social Theory of the Hebrews."

The meeting will be held in the Engineering Building. Men and women students of the University and all interested are invited to attend.



Male Attire Clothes and the London Idea

Our illustration shows a few of the smart styles that make their debut today

IF a man were to have his clothes made by a swagger West End London Tailor, he would be absolutely sure of the correctness of his attire this year. We are to have another season of form defining coats with long soft rolling lapels—of high cut waistcoats—of straight narrow trousers.

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This is an opening announcement;

Later we shall give details

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In Overcoats—the exclusive **Meadowbrook**—the aristocratic **Savoy**. Prices **\$15.00 to \$25.00.**

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"My pledge to the citizens of Montreal," said Major Stephens, "is this—that I will give all my time, all my energy and all my heart for the benefit of my own city of Montreal."

"I firmly believe that the Board of Control, the Council and the Mayor can in the same way find a harmonious road to travel along for the best interests of the city—I believe that is possible. (Applause.) I do not believe that the future administrators of this city, whoever they may be, will not be big enough to sink sectional or personal interests when they find they have a great ideal for the city to work out. We all, citizens and officers, have a great part to play, and it will be my ambition to do such work as lies in me to see that the work is properly carried on."

MAJOR STEPHENS

says about the future of Montreal:

"We should have a plan to provide for the time when Montreal will be a city of a million people. This programme set before us for beautiful boulevards, the extension of streets, an improved sewage system, parks, the better housing of the working classes, and the waterworks system."

The speaker then dealt with the various questions of the health of the city, pointing out the necessity of dealing with the matter of infantile mortality, and the importance of clean streets. He stated that the question of better housing was one of the utmost importance to the welfare of the population. He said that there was a noble part awaiting women in solving the grave problems of the city. Coming to the question of a civic library, he favored a central establishment in LaFontaine Park, and many branches throughout the city.

MAJOR STEPHENS

says about transportation:

"This is not a question of tramways alone, but one of the wider problem of transportation."

"To-day we have a system which serves a population of 600,000 people. It is within the bounds of reason that in ten years we will have a population of one million. Who will say then that we do not require a system of tubes under the main thoroughfares of our city? How long will it be before we have great boulevards radiating from the centre of the city, to serve to the east of beautiful La Fontaine Park and to the west of Guy street? For me there is more than one side of the actual tramways question, and I would not have any plan which did not consider the general improvement of the transportation system. The contract between the city and the Montreal Tramways Company has yet nine years to run. We have time to consider this matter without any disadvantage to the company and with great advantage for the city to establish a solid agreement."

"Here is my plan. I am in favor of a square deal, an arrangement equitable for the city, for the people, and for the company. We should say to the company: 'Place your cards openly on the table, and the City of Montreal will follow suit.' We, the city of Montreal, will grant justice and will agree to an equitable contract. Before signing such a contract we should establish a proper plan for the city of Montreal and present it to the company, showing our boulevards, our new parks, and our system of water and sewage service, plainly dealing with the problem of a city having a million people to transport. We would then prepare a proper contract for the company and for the city, but before accepting it and before signing it, I pledge myself, tonight, to submit it to the judgment of the people through the means of a referendum."

MAJOR STEPHENS

says about autonomy:

"If elected, I propose not to amend the present charter of our City, but to establish one on the most modern and simple plan, one that will give to the City of Montreal the powers necessary to regulate its own affairs."

MAJOR STEPHENS

says about civic ideals:

"I believe the time is coming," continued Major Stephens, "when we will reach a new era for the city of Montreal. A great fountain of civic patriotism is in our midst, and it has not yet been started. When it does begin to flow it will put such new life and vigor in Montreal that this city will become the pride of the Canadian Federation. It is a great thought. It is a great time to look forward to when we will be able to realize the beautiful city on the banks of the St. Lawrence with its charming mountain in the heart of it, who knows where we are going? No one has ever dreamed of the greater, more beautiful Montreal. We want to think of these things. We want to pay more attention to the city and less attention to the exploitation of it. It should be a better city. The city cries out for happier homes, better places to play and to breathe in, more pleasant streets."

MAJOR STEPHENS promises:

"Let me loose with a few good men to work in the City of Montreal. (Applause.) I'll make it my business to carry on the business of the city of Montreal in a way that the people will see results. If we cannot do it under the present system well then change the system. (Prolonged applause.) We have in us the making of a city that will be the pride of the world."

"I promise you I will never deceive you. I promise you that if these things are not realized I will tell you frankly and fairly what is wrong."

"I have not a share in any industrial company of Canada. I have a big share in the city of Montreal. The best guarantee that George Washington Stephens ought to be a good mayor is that all his interests are here. If there is a better man in the field I promise you that I will back him up."

"I promise you that I will give all the time and what little brains I have to your service, if elected. The results are bound to come if a man will devote his time and his energy, and has the backing of the people. Now I have no promises to make. You know what sort of a man I look like. If I am considered worthy of your confidence give it to me on the sixth of April and I will give you results."

Such is the platform upon which George Washington Stephens stands to-day. To those who know him, to those who have witnessed the gigantic undertakings which he has been able to successfully carry through in the harbour of Montreal there is not the slightest doubt that as

Mayor of Montreal
Major George W. Stephens
WILL MAKE GOOD